

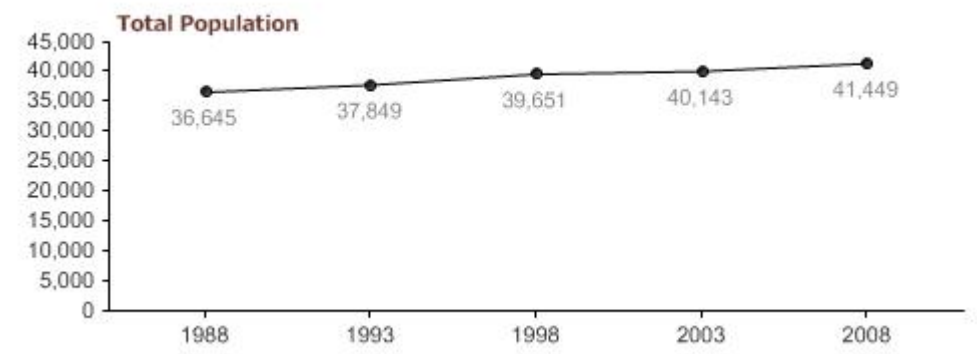
Dubois County, IN Highlights

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Overview	Population	Education	Commuting	Labor Force	Industry	Income	Firm Size

Population

A region's economy thrives or dives because of the people who choose to live there. That choice may occur by being born there and desiring to stay, or a more deliberate one of choosing to relocate from somewhere else. Monitoring change in the size and movement of population is an important barometer of well-being. Some of us monitor these changes as an insect might gauge the shifting sands while most don't pay much attention. But the barometer is a good metaphor for population change since it can presage more notable events, such as lackluster business attraction due to lack of workers.

Population Over Time					
	1988	1993	1998	2003	2008
Total Population	36,645	37,849	39,651	40,143	41,449
Change Since 1988		1,204	3,006	3,498	4,804
Pct. Change Since 1988		3.3%	8.2%	9.5%	13.1%



Source: US Census Bureau

Components of Population Change 2007 to 2008

	Number
Net Domestic Migration	29
International Migration	38
Natural Increase (births minus deaths)	210
Births	571
Deaths	361

Components of Change

A bar chart titled "Components of Change" showing the components of population change from 2007 to 2008. The x-axis lists the components: Domestic Migration, International Migration, and Natural Increase. The y-axis represents the number of people (0 to 250 in increments of 50). The bars are colored blue, red, and green respectively.

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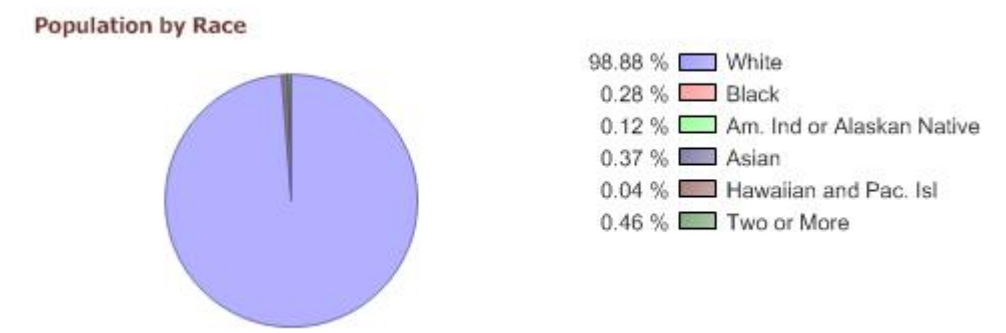
Population Estimates by Age in 2007

	Number	Pct. Dist
Preschool	2,707	6.6%
School Age	7,605	18.5%
College Age	3,296	8.0%
Young Adult	10,991	26.7%
Older Adult	10,828	26.3%
Older (65 plus)	5,798	14.1%

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Estimates by Race and Hispanic Origin in 2007

	Number	Pct. Dist
American Ind. or Alaskan Native Alone	49	0.1%
Asian Alone	153	0.4%
Black Alone	114	0.3%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pac. Isl. Alone	15	0.0%
White Alone	40,704	98.9%
Two or More Race Groups	190	0.5%



Hispanic or Latino

Non-Hispanic or Latino	39,175	95.2%
Hispanic or Latino	2,050	5.0%

Source: US Census Bureau

Households in 2000

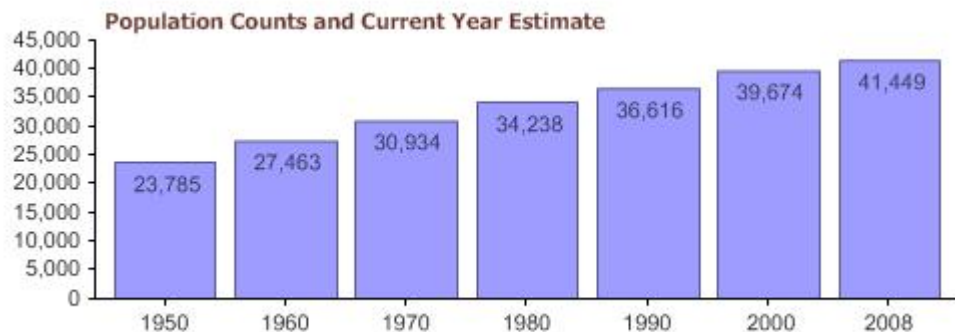
	Number	Pct. Dist
Total Households	14,813	100.0%
Family Households	10,743	72.5%
Married with Children	4,535	30.6%
Married without Children	4,621	31.2%
Single Parents	963	6.5%
Other	624	4.2%
Non-family Households	4,070	27.5%
Living Alone	3,483	23.5%
Average Household Size	2.68	
Average Family Household Size	3.69	

Source: US Census Bureau

Population Counts by Decade and Current Year Estimate

	Population	Numerical	Pct. Chg.
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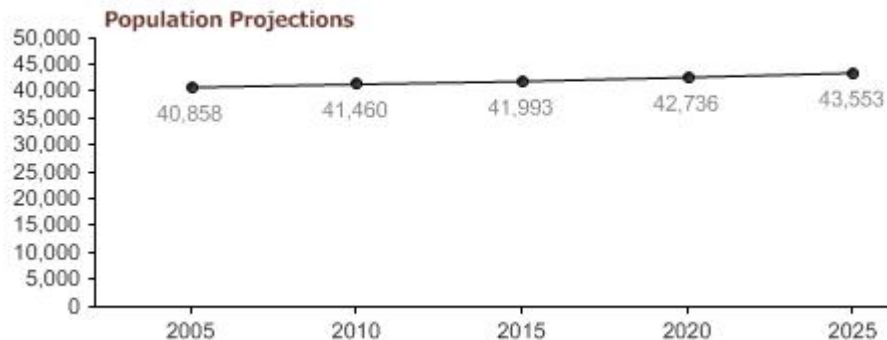
		Chg.	
1950	23,785	NA	NA
1960	27,463	3,678	15.5%
1970	30,934	3,471	12.6%
1980	34,238	3,304	10.7%
1990	36,616	2,378	6.9%
April 2000	39,674	3,058	8.4%
2008	41,449	1,775	4.5%



Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Population Projections

	2005	2010	2015	2020	2025
Population Projections	40,858	41,460	41,993	42,736	43,553
Change Since 2005		602	1,135	1,878	2,695
Pct. Change Since 2005		1.5%	2.8%	4.6%	6.6%



Source: Indiana Business Research Center